

PATENT APPLICATION

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to his duty of good faith and candor as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(a) Applicant submits herewith the references cited on the attached PTO form 1449. Copies of the cited references are attached and were filed in parent application Serial No. 09/918,721, filed August 1, 2001. Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider these references in connection with the search of the prior art required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.104.

Applicant does not waive any right to take any action that would be appropriate to antedate or otherwise remove any listed documents as a competent reference against the claims of the present application.

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner fully consider each item of information, initial the enclosed Form PTO-1449 in the appropriate place to indicate that the information has been considered, and return a copy of the initialed form to the undersigned in accordance with MPEP Section 609.

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It is believed that no fee is required to ensure consideration of the cited references by the Examiner. However, if a fee is deemed necessary, the Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 19-0733. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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